





I KNOW A THING  
OR TWO ABOUT  
GOOD BREAD!

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GOOD YEAST!

Clever women bake  
with ROYAL YEAST—  
Makes loaves tender,  
even-textured, delicious  
WRAPPED AIRTIGHT  
FOR DEPENDABILITY

ROYAL  
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CAKES

## OUR COMPLETE SHORT STORY—

## MEET SERGEANT BAKER

By VINCENT D. LUNNY

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Eunice Morgan was upstairs getting dressed. Carefully with deliberate movements she selected her clothes—one that she had just altered.

She hummed a soft, lilting tune and her steps across the room, from clothes closet to dressing table to the full-length mirror on the far wall opposite the window, were buoyant as though she were walking on clouds.

Eunice Morgan was happy; very, very happy. And the inherent gait was reflected in every one of her part movements.

Her brother was coming home on week-end leave. He was due in at just a few minutes and, according to his last letter which lay beside the beauty kit on her bureau, he was bringing Sergeant Phil Baker with him.

Eunice was in love with Sergeant Baker; that is if a girl can be in love with a person she has never met. As she dreamed the first fling, garment she felt a strange tingling of anticipation running up and down her spine and she analyzed the deep feeling of excitement as love.

What would Sergeant Baker be like? He'd be tall and dark and he'd have bushy hair—the kind of hair she wanted her children to have—she surmised as she fastened an "unmentionable" around the sleek curve of her body.

But what if he's short and fat and hasn't any hair at all? It wouldn't matter, she decided, remembering the praise Bill had lavished on Sergeant Baker in his letters to her from the camp. No, it wouldn't matter at all. After all personality and compatibility count more than looks, she told herself.

In the last six months or more practically every letter from Bill had mentioned Baker. Just casual, off-hand, as though he were a friend, as though he were like "Sergeant Baker" in the ordinary course of a good egg. We have lots of fun together," he wrote. "I'll walk with Phil Baker last night. It was better than just hanging around the camp."

From these references she reconstructed in her mind a mental picture of the Sergeant's personality and, because Bill liked him, she liked him too. That was in the beginning but now that she was going to meet Phil Baker this very evening she felt Cupid's little darts penetrating into her heart, playing strange tricks deep in her secret being.

She had cancelled a date for to-night with her regular boy friend, brassy Tom Williams, because she had arranged a party for Baker and her brother. She was going to surprise them.

She'd reserved a table for four on the Roof Gardens where they

could eat and dance and chase the boys away and she'd got a date for Bill to complete the foursome.

Tom Williams was snuffed of course, so that was putting it mildly? He'd sounded angry when she had phoned to say that she couldn't keep the date with him because Bill was coming in on leave.

"You know how it is, Tom," she'd said. "My big brother doesn't get leave very often and I so much want to meet this evening with him."

"That's fine," he'd said. "But couldn't we arrange to go out somewhere all together?"

"She'd hesitated. "No-o. I. I don't think so, Tom. Not this time, if you don't mind."

"But I do mind!" He'd detected her hesitation. His voice had risen and a note of anger had crept into it. "We have a date. That's definite. And I don't want your brother to visit should upset all the plans. He's emphasized the word all. 'Are you sure there isn't someone else involved?'"

"Well, if you want to put it that way, there is," she'd replied. "I'm going to meet with Sergeant Baker, a friend of Bill's who's coming in with him."

"But, but, but you can't do that." "Can't," he'd said, he'd replied indignantly. "Can't, I'm going to. Good-bye for now, Tom."

Eunice remembered the conversation as she pulled her best dress over her head. Oh, well, she could make up to him after the week-end and to-night she would have a grand time with Sergeant Baker.

She heard the front door open as she dabbed perfume behind her ears and rubbed the last few drops into her eyebrows. "There was a clatter of things in the hall downstairs as the door opened and the sergeant was greeted by other members of the family."

The brushed back a few unruly wisps of hair, looked at herself propped in the mirror and, with herself beating faster and faster, she descended the stairs.

She met her at the foot of the staircase, next as a button in his walking out uniform, with the new corporal's chevrons on his sleeves.

"Hi, sis," he greeted her, enthusiastically, planting a big, brotherly kiss on her cheek. "You're looking good. You turned her face so he wouldn't mar her lipstick." "All set for a big time tonight?"

"Uh-huh," bubbled. "I've reserved a table for four at the Roof Gardens for the supper dance. And I've got a date for this evening with Phil Marshall."

"Oh, well, sis, you sound like a girl. 'I'll be here in a few minutes.'"

"Phil Marshall? But, . . . but, . . . Tom Williams. Come on, take me into the living room introduce me to Sergeant Baker. I'm just going to meet your friend."

Eunice took her brother by the arm and piloted him through the living room door. A figure in khaki was sitting by the fireplace.

"Sis, I'd like you to meet Sergeant Phil Baker of the Women's Army Corps. She's a good egg. Why, Eunice, what's the matter?"

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## Many Good Openings

Available in Smaller Towns For  
Dentists Leaving War Service

Dentists attached to the Canadian armed forces are reported to be facing a rehabilitation problem. They are coming out of the service to find the field somewhat crowded in the cities, and openings existing only in the smaller towns.

This is not entirely to be regretted. It is likely to lead to a movement that will be to the advantage of both the country and the dental profession. It is no hardship to live in a small town. In fact, there are much in such places to make life worth while. A man with a good profession can really make a success of it there, and his position will be enjoyable and attractive, for he will find himself a prominent citizen, looked up to and respected. Added to this will be the service he can render people who, too often in the past, have been denied the best in treatment because of the lure of the metropolitan place. —Windsor Star.

## SMILE AWHILE

"I hear you bought a car cheap the other day. How was it?" "It was just realising how hard it is to drive a bargain."

Sister's Sullen Answer. "I dislike to tell you, but last night at the party your sister promised to become my wife. Can you forgive me for taking her away?" "Johnny," "Shush," "What are you doing?"

"That was a beautiful tale. Pat, your wife went to church last Sunday. It was so high I could hardly see the pulpit about 100 feet up."

"It should 'a' been beautiful Mike; an' if she'd worn the bill that she came with, she wouldn't 'a' seen the steeple!"

Fittings in the House of a Hollywood film actress are made of gold. All the curtains and hangings on her former wedding rings.

"Do you really love me, Alfred?" asked the girl. "Elbel, I refer you to my last letter, regarding the young man."

"Devotely!" is on the first page, "madly" on page 3, "passionately" on pages 4 and 5, and "in death to do as part" in the postscript. I cannot be more explicit, Elbel!"

"Would you like to see a model home?" "Glad to. What time does she quit work?"

"Why did you leave your last job?" "Illness. The boss got sick of me."

Bill: "Did any one in your family ever make a brilliant marriage?" "No, but my mother did."

Arthur: "Only my wife." "He never knew what real happiness was until he got married; and then he knew."

He was reading to his wife an account of a famous naturalist's accident.

Leading for a bare palm, he slipped over the cliff, and as he fell he gathered momentum.

"The poor man! What an enthusiasm he must have been. Why picking flowers, even as he fell."

"Is your boy friend a bookworm?" "No, just an ordinary kind."

Most stars are more digestible when roasted than if eaten raw.

OUR CANADA  
A COUNTRY ENTIRELY LOOKS AT  
ITSELF

BY JIM GREENGLASS

Small town stuff: Bob Miller of Eastend, Sask., looked out of his window one morning saw two coyotes departing each with a chicken in mouth. He fired his gun, and one dropped his catch. He sprayed poison on the dead bird, and left it there. The next morning beside it he found a skunk and a coyote, all revived at Verden, B.C., Canadian School of Infants from Oct. 1, guns will be fired Heville, Noon and First Post. . . . Aston, Sask., district twins, J. and H. J. Wells were honored at a party on their 28th birthday. J. was a bachelor until 1938. . . . The Wawanesa (Man.) Optimist tells of a dry goods store which put out a sign, "We Sell for Less Than That." . . . The Hutchins farm at Brigham, one has been in the one family for 123 years, and has had three owners in that time. . . . After 60 years of cultivation by J. A. V. David, his farm at Killarney, Man., has been sold, as he retires, in that time he had put in and taken off 40 crops. . . . Failure of the apple crop in the Bay of Quinte district forced the annual Boy Scout Apple Day at Belleville, Ont., to use oranges instead. . . . Edward J. Hopkins, a 292-lb. bear near his farm with a 22, according to the Albany correspondent in the Warrenton, Ont. Echo. . . . Bert B. Herd, C.P.R. employee at Madawaska, N.B., is the only one in the New Brunswick division to earn a 50-year good service pass while still working for the company. He is a steam and pipe fitter. . . . Roy Wedlund of Lacombe, Alta., had to act chambermaid and travel agent with 285 turkeys, shipped by freight to Salmon Arm, B.C.

Little industry but growing. In Manitoba, the Co-op Vegetable Oil Ltd. meeting at Altona heard that 12,000 acres of sunflowers had been planted in the southern part of the province over 90% of the area was planted by frost and on the basis of 50 a. a. assures farmers over half a million for the winter.

At Arrmarior, Ont., the Chronicle recorded a fall wedding at Brockville in which the principals were "Mrs. A. and Mr. B."

Wouldn't you like to live with Mrs. A. H. MacKinnon of Deep Creek, B.C. At the Interior Province, the British Columbia record is six seconds. First for shortbread, doughnuts, apple sauce cake, plain custard, raspberry jelly, orange marmalade, and celery and rhubarb relish; second for collection of home smoking roll, sponge cake, apricot and peaches, quince, rhubarb marmalade.

He punched right out, did the editor of the Manitowish (Man.) Western and the editor of the Winnipeg Free Press following the recent election; and it might do us all good to read and think of it.

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Buy Victory Bonds  
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## Fur-Bearing Sheep

Technique For The Treatment Of  
Sheep Fats

Australian sheep may soon produce "furs" for coats and trimming. Victoria Minister for Agriculture Norman Martin has announced a new technique for treating sheep pelts to make them into fur resembling beaver.

He explained that pelts with only half to one and a half inches of wool, for which the farmer usually received between one and six pence (1c to 6c), could be made to replace ordinary trade furs for trimming, and would wear better than ordinary furs. They were not yet on the market, but the pioneers of the new process in Victoria were far in advance of American competitors.

One of the leading manufacturers had gone abroad to secure machinery, and he estimated that with the employment of 1,000 workers, only five per cent. need be trained. Mr. Martin also forecast making carpet rugs and hangings from sheepskin.—Australian News Letter.

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# A Victory Loan Report!

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DR. E. W. HEATY  
Director  
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#### VARIETIES OF WHEAT

The popularity of different varieties of wheat is a matter of interest to all farmers, and of importance to those intending either to buy or to sell seed. According to the annual survey made by Line Elevator Farm Service, the changes in acreage of different varieties between 1944 and 1945 are simply a continuation of changes apparent between 1941 and 1944.

#### Prairie Provinces

The 1945 percentages of the total area occupied by the different varieties, with 1944 percentages in brackets, are as follows: Thatcher, 55.3 (52.5); Red Bobs, 11.9 (13.3); Marquis, 10.9 (13.2); Regent, 8.5 (7.5); Rosam, 3.5 (4.2); Durum, 2.9 (2.5); Apex, 2.7 (3.0); Garnet, 2.6 (2.0); others, 1.7 (1.7).

Similar data for individual provinces are set out below:

#### Alberta

Red Bobs, 40.4 (42.2); Marquis, 23.8 (27.3); Thatcher, 22.2 (16.4); Garnet, 7.7 (6.0); Cana, 1.8 (1.8); Rosam, 0.7 (1.2); others 3.5 (2.9).

#### Saskatchewan

Thatcher, 77.0 (74.1); Marquis, 7.2 (6.1); Apex, 4.5 (5.0); Regent, 3.4 (3.6); Rosam, 2.1 (2.5); others, 8.4 (4.9).

#### Manitoba

Regent, 40.1 (34.6); Thatcher, 37.4 (39.9); Rosam, 13.7 (16.4); Durum, 4.3 (7.2); Apex, 1.0 (0.7); others, 1.4 (0.9).

Even in Alberta Marquis appears to be losing ground steadily. It is fitting, at this time, to remember that even when Marquis disappears, its influence will be profound because it appears in the ancestry of Thatcher, Regent, Rosam, Apex and Cana.

These data, with 1944 figures for comparison are being reprinted in leaflet form. Copies may be obtained from Line Elevator agents.

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regimentation of the entire nation was accepted as another evil, because many non-military agencies were removed from the production list and many non-military services were curtailed or abandoned.

If these conditions were accepted, we certainly could have over night abundance for peace, but such abundance would not produce what we like to call the "good life." If we want the good life, and most of us do, we must be satisfied with a slower rate of production, simply because the average human being cannot and will not stand the pace of war economy. These human limitations are what the Socialists ignore or fail to understand when they appeal to the people; but the people realize, without always being able to express in words their feeling, what the Socialist program would mean.

#### CITIZENS AND FLAGS

Kenneth, has always been shown in the national status of Canadians, and in the type of flag they can wave, though they are not much given to flag waving.

It is not surprising, therefore, that Secretary of State Martin's Canadian Citizenship Act is being regarded with lively attention in parliament and throughout the country. The Act provides the means of securing Canadian citizenship to three classes—persons born in Canada or on a Canadian ship aliens after five years residence, British subjects resident in Canada.

Parliament is in general agreement with the new Act and while debate is likely to be diversified, lit-

## Town & District

Scottie Murray spent the weekend in town visiting his parents. Scottie is now on duty at Lethbridge keeping his eye on the Germans in the prisoner of war camp located there.

Wm. Busby, the popular caretaker at the Blackfoot hospital has been on the sick list for some days. He is now put and around.

The services being conducted by Rev. Father, H. R. Bartley, at St. Victor's Church morning and evening are being well attended.

The Gleichen Branch of the Canadian Legion are going to stage a Midnight Frolic on Sunday evening November 11th starting at 10 o'clock. This is the occasion of their annual dance and as this is the opening dance for the social season will likely be well attended. The Community Hall will be open at 10:30 to accommodate those from a distance.

The T.B. Clinic held here last week was attended by over 800 people. Owing to something going wrong with the X-ray apparatus were compelled to stop an extra day.

From now until spring the stores will close their doors at 7 o'clock on Saturday nights. Last Saturday night was the first time they closed this fall, the sharp criticism is expected.

On the other hand, wide controversy is expected out of the effort to select a distinctive Canadian flag. Something like 400 designs have already been submitted, and they are nothing if not varied in their suggestions.

It is interesting to note that most of the ideas submitted feature a maple leaf. While this cannot be taken as an indication of what the final choice will include many observers are looking forward to seeing a maple leaf on Canada's new flag.

#### HOLDING THE LINE

It is not surprising, perhaps that there continues to be flurries about this question of controls. Pressure to throw them off entirely appears to be increasing, while the defenses for controls are stiffening.

In view of their increasing tension it was reassuring to have the Financial Post support W.P.T.B. Chairman Gordon who has been urging the necessity of making haste slowly when it comes to throwing off the economic restrictions.

The Post says: "There is still a very grave shortage in many lines of consumer goods. In addition there is the natural feeling on the part of the whole population to do and spend as they please. That feeling, with Christmas shopping in the offing, might easily generate enormous inflationary pressure."

The line against inflation must be held if we are to win the peace without the expenditure of a lot of unnecessary sweat and tears.

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## DISCHARGED PERSONNEL MAY RETURN TO OLD JOBS

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This Act and its Regulations are administered by the Dominion Minister of Labour, through the National Employment Service. Reinstatement Officers are available in the National Employment Offices to answer inquiries, and assist in adjusting cases.

Employees—either men or women—are to be reinstated if:

- (a) they worked for their employer 8 months immediately prior to enlistment, and were not replacing another employee who has since been reinstated;
- (b) they left their employment to join the Armed Services, the Merchant Marine, or the Fire Fighters Corps;
- (c) they apply to their employer for reinstatement, verbally or in writing, within 3 months following discharge in Canada or 4 months if discharged overseas.

Provision may be made for extension of time if the employer's health prevents him or her from returning within the specified three months. In this event, the employer must be advised within the 3 or 4 months, as the case may be.

The following points in the legislation are also important:

1. Discharged men and women upon reinstatement are to be given conditions not less favourable than would have been enjoyed had they continued in employment instead of joining the Forces.
2. The period of time spent with the Armed Services is to count for seniority rights, pension rights, vacations with pay, and certain other benefits.
3. Discharged personnel who cannot perform their former duties are to be reinstated in the most suitable employment available, at which they are capable of working.
4. If an employer dismisses a reinstated employee within 6 months, he must be able to prove in court that he had reasonable cause for so doing.

ALL EX-SERVICE MEN AND WOMEN ARE URGED TO USE THE FACILITIES OF THE NATIONAL EMPLOYMENT SERVICE WHEN LOOKING FOR WORK.

## DEPARTMENT OF LABOUR

HUMPHREY MITCHELL, A. MacNAMARA  
Minister of Labour Deputy Minister of Labour

For the first time in five years, the end of the 1945 harvest season, farmers stand a chance of having many skilled workers will be available for their needs filled. The Dominion who are anxious for steady employment in Provincial Farm Labor Committees must on live stock or dairy farms. From their meeting urged farmers, Veterans who have had special machinery those engaged in dairy channel training in the forces will find livestock production, to take full advantage of this opportunity. With farms highly suited for work on mechanized

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